Eternal Triangle Figures in Defense of Dr. W. A. Hadley, ex-Army Officer.

CAUGHT AFTER LONG HUNT

Chase That Began at Richmond in 1918 Ended By Arrest in New Mexico. RICHMOND, Va., Sept. 10 .- Three

weeks ago Dr. Wilmarth Amos Hadley gazed through the lattice of friendly boughs which sheltered his little cabin hidden on a lonely ranch near Farmington, New Mexico. The hermit with his flowing whis-

kers and nervous manner first excited the suspicion of the few neighbors who came to know him. Then they pitied him, for he told them a story of how he had entered upon his strange existence in an effort to recover from tuberculosis. He said his name was "Arthur Leonard."

Today Hadley gazes through the iron bars of the strongest murder cell of the Henrico county jail, into a dark, County authorities have in their

possession with Hadley's name affixed to it a confession, in which he says he poisoned his wife in this city in November, 1918, wrapped the body in a rain coat, weighted it with a heavy stone and dropped it into the James river, five miles north of Richmond. The "House of Hadley" that was and the "House of Hadley" that is present a strange study in contrasts.

Rated High in Army.

Three years ago Hadley, an im-posing figure in the regalia of a captain in the Army Medical Corps, was rated one of the best in the service. Medical men predicted a great future for him when he re-entered private practice at the close of the world war.

Mrs. Hadley was a pianist of no mean ability and possessed a colora-tura soprano voice which friends declared would find a place on the grand opera stage. Making her way in Galveston,

Texas, as a music teacher when she met Dr. Hadley, Sue Tinsley elected to abandon her career as a musician and cast her lot with the rising young physician.

Today Hadley's back is bent with the burden of his crime; his will is broken by three years' contemplation of arrest. He no longer wears the haughty mien of the army offiwhich distinguished him when he came to Virginia three years ago to minister to sick soldiers at Camp Lee. He is a broken old man at thirty-nine years of age

Finding of Body.

When a farmer on December 30, 1918, discovered the frozen body of a woman in the icy waters of the James river, near Richmond, rela tives of a dozen missing girls rushed to Richmond in an effort to identify

Two men from Washington, D. C. came to Richmond, one in the belief that the body was that of his sister, the other believing it to be

The war was in progress at that time and many young women had left home to be near army camps and the soldiers.

Mysterious "Griffith."

A mysterious "Dr. Griffith" is men-tioned in the alleged confession. The suthorities are unable to connect anyone by that name with the case, but Hadley claimed that he killed "Griffith" because he was "pursuing" Mrs. Hadley; that his act was in defense

is believed here that Hadley, while living his hermit's life in the West, carefully concocted a line of defense, should he ever be arrested, and that the "Dr. Griffith" is purely

So far the authorities have not been able to definitely establish a motive for the crime.

The name of a former trained nurse, who was employed at Camp Lee, near Richmond, during Dr. Hadley's stay there, has also been connected with the affair. Whether she will furnish the third angle of an eternal triangle the authorities are as yet unable

Another theory advanced by those familiar with the history of Hadley that his alleged act is traceable to an injury suffered many years ago when he fell from a horse while visiting his wife's relatives in Cincin-nati, Ohio.

Since the injury Hadley is said to have had periods of absent-minded-ness; that he has been a victim of aphasia, and that he frequently made certain moves that he could not later

Star Witness Dead.

The prosecution will have to rely

It had developed that Mrs. E. G. Clark, who would have been the star witness for the State, has died since or the Hadleys while they made their ago is a blank in so far as local sioners in time to effect any changes their death.

lev's death. County officials believed the woman a suicide, but this theory was scouted when it was shown that a heavy stone was attached to the body by

thrown into the river. The body was in a good state of preservation due to the fact that the river was practially frozen and Mrs. Hadley was born a

examination of the lungs revealed that the woman was dead before being thrown into the water, of her husband.

She was two years the senior in the near future. It may be that the general reclassification bill will there was no water on the

PRINCIPALS IN TRAGEDY



Trial of Hadley to Settle Doubt on Many Points

Did Dr. Wilmarth Amos Hadey, army medical captain, do away with his wife because of his infatuation for a nurse in an army camp?

Did Dr. Hadley, suffering from an old injury which is said to have produced periodic attacks of aphasia, slay his wife when his mind did not realize what his hands were doing? Who is "Dr. Griffith," the

mysterious man mentioned by Hadley in his alleged confession, in which he says he killed the

doctor because he pursued his (Hadley's) wife? Mrs. E. G. Clark, with whom the Hadleys lived in Richmond, dled shortly after she identified the body of Mrs. Hadley. She would have been the star witness for the prosecution. Will her af-fidavits telling or the home life of the Hadleys help or hurt Dr.

Hadley's case' Who stole the personal record of Dr. Hadley from the army files in Washington? Will Dr. Hadley be able to

when he faces trial next month

mysteriously disappeared from Richmond. Sheriff Webb W. Sydnor, who with Commonwealth Attorney W. W. Beverly, conducted a nation-wide service. It was hoped that the work search for Hadley, learned that the could be finished in time to give some doctor fled from Richmond in a guidance in making up the budget highpowered automobile, going west. for the coming year. About ten days employed and the search for the papers that the reclassification was

Trailed to his hiding place on the New Mexican ranch, Hadley offered no resistance when arrested. He was removed to Denver, Colo., and in cation for the District is in the charge the jail there is said by Henrico of Mr. Croysant, who has been decounty officials to have signed a con- tailed from the Efficiency Bureau. Mr.

His Record Stolen.

Dr. Hadley's record from the time the slaying of Mrs. Hadley. The authorities, however, are said to have in their possession affidavits signed of the Uniersity of Texas in 1914 15, it seems impossible that the report which she tells of the action until his arrival here three years will be in the hands of the commis-

> It has been learned that Hadley's records were stolen from the army and long-standing knowledge that files at Washington and could not there were many positions in the Disbe recovered.

Dr. Hadley was a devotee of golf Everyone agrees that there should be while residing here. When he was free from hospital duites he spent most of his leisure hours playing the game at the Country Club.

Itaaley was born and reared to be spent is a hard thing to effect in a public service which is under the control of a busy Congress on whom it has no political hold.

"It seems highly improbable that which they use to brew "hooch." a haywire before the body was while residing here. When he was immediate relief, but immediate relief

to Galveston, Tex., where she taught aries for the District will take place

Wife Alleges Desertion.

GAITHERSBURG, Md., Sept. 10 .-Twenty-two days after the body was found it was identified as being that of Mrs Hadley, the identification being made by Mrs. E. G. Clark, with whom the Hadleys had clark, with whom the Hadleys had couple's children, ranging in age faced in Richmond last year, according to nineteen years. rooms here.

Hadley, who had in no way been from five to nineteen years. According to the annual review of the according to the ing to the bill the couple were married the investigation to January 18, 1898, and lived together by Mayor Ainslie with the city determine the identity of the body, unit March 20, 1918.

HOPE FAILS IN D. C.

Reclassification May Be Too Late to Figure in Next Salary Budget.

Little, if any hope, is now held that the reclassification of employes of the District government will be completed in time to figure on the next budget, according to this week's issue of the

Reclussificationist.
The Reclarsificationist seems to think it is improbable that any independent readjustment of salaries for District employes will take place in the near future and that the gen-eral reclassification bill will pass Congress and give relief all around before the District reclassificatiton is put into

Sees No Relief.

Under the heading of "No Relief in Sight," the publication says:
"District employes are about to walk over the barren waste of another faded mirage. The Reclassifi-cation which is being made by the Efficiency Bureau will not be ready in time to figure in the next budget.

"Some months ago the District Commissioners asked the Efficiency Bureau to make a reclassification of salaries and positions in the District A private detective agency was ago it was announced in the daily missing doctor covered the entire nearly ready and would be completed in a week. It seems that the announcement was premature.

Delay In Report. "The work of making the reclassifi-Croysant is at present out of town and in his absence nothing definite could be learned, but as he will not be

"It has been a matter of common trict service deplorably underpaid.

the general reclassification bill will pass Congress and give relief all around before the District reclassification is put into effect."

Is 87 Years Old

Former Governor of New Hampshire Busy With Duties of New Job.

"I've going tomake the Civil Service practical and popular," declared John H. Bartlett, former Governor of New Hampshire when informed that he had been appointed by President Harding to head the United States Civil Service Commission

Commander Bartlett has already entered upon his new duties as president of the Commission and is one of the busiest officials in Washington today as a result of the numerous reductions of government employes throughout the country as well as filling many new and important positions. Half a million Federal employes throughout the country have their status determined, regulated and re-corded by the Commission of which

Mr. Bartlett is the head. Gov. Bartlett retired as chief execu ive of the Granite State last January it the age of fifty-one."

He is a self-made farmer's son of his own State who has made good with onderful rapidity. He is president of the Granite State Fire Insurance Company, President of the Portsmouth H., Trust and Guarantee Company, a heavy owner and director in a large chain of New England theaters, has been counsel for the Boston and Maine Railroad, and is regarded as one of the best orators in the New England

When a young man he was princi-pal of the Portsmouth High School and postmaster of his home city of Portsmouth under President McKinley During the war he gave up his whole State Senator by Senator Henry F. Quantico. Hollis, a Democrat, in 1911.

He is a regular Republican but has always been of an independent turn of fortune, a result of his own efforts.

mouth graduate with Senator Moses and Congressman Burroughs. Under the direction of General But-

who was also a Granite Stater.

Mr. Bartlett has degrees of A. M.,
A. B. and LL. D., is a thirty-second

Cellorsville, where Stonewall Jackson was killed, will be staged.

Practically the entire force at Quan degree Mason. He is a Methodist. Born March 15, 1869. Son of John Z. leaving only a few caretakers at the and Saphroma A. Bartlett. / Mr. Bartlett. is a descendant of Josiah Bartlett, march as a re-enforced brigade, acting

the memorial bridge with Gov. Baxter, Lee, Hooker and Burnside. of Maine, and Secretary Denby of

R. Wales of Vermont and Mrs. Helen H. Gardener, of Washington.

VIRGINIA STATE COP

TO CHASE SPEEDSTERS FREDERICKSBURG, Va., Sept. 10. -After receiving numbers of comhighway between Fredericksburg and King George Court House, Col. B. O. James, Secretary of the Common-wealth, has stationed a state motor-cycle officer on the Northern Neck highway between these two points to break up the menace to lives of

The new officer, Dewey C. Flaugh-er, has arrived here from Richmond and taken his station on the highway with a 4-cylinder motorcycle, capable of traveling nearly ninety miles per hour. Officer Flaugher will also maintain a lookout for motorists with improper tags and will arrest violators of the license law.

WELL GAS KILLS THREE:

/ PRIEST IS OVERCOME BUFFALO, Sept. 10.-Three mer were killed by carbon monoxide gas

in a well on a farm in Springbrook, near here, late yesterday. They were Fred Arndt, his brother Harvey and, Fred Hawker. Harvey Arndt and Hawker met death in efforts to rescue Fred Arndt, the first to fall victim to the poisonous fumes. After the three men had been

vercome the Rev. Roman J. Nuwer. pastor of St. Vincent's Church a Springbrook, descended into the well wearing an army gas mask. This proved of no avail against carbon monoxide, and Father Nuwer quickly collapsed. He was dragged out and revived with difficulty.

The bodies of the three men were recovered by use of ropes and pike

INDIANS IN FAR NORTH ARE FACING EXTINCTION

EDMONSTON, Alta., Sept. 10 .- Inians in the near north are in danger of becoming an extinct species unless measures are taken to safeguard then against contagious diseases, Dr. W. W. Bell, health inspector, said today. He would stop overcrowding in one room tepees, in which two or more families

DEATHS.

who was killed in action on July 1, 1918, at Chateau Thierry, will be held from the National Guard Armory, 472 L street northwest, on Tuesday morning at 3 o'clock, thence to St. Joseph's Church, Second and C streets northeast, where mass will be said at 10 o'clock. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Catherine Fagan, and his sister, Mrs. W. P. Lynch, No. 1 S street northwest.

FLORISTS

FUNERAL DESIGNS INIA F ST. N. W.

E. Jeffries Heads Four Generations;

NOCH JEFFRIES, a Washington man, eightyseven years young, is the proud head of four generations living in this city and

the vicinity. His son, John, sixty-one years old, lives in Falls Church, Va.

His grandson, Raymond, twenty-eight years, old, and his great-grandson, Raymond, jr., four years old, live in Washington.

Enoch Jeffries comes of old Revolutionary stock, the family being one of the oldest in Virginia. He declares that he is going to live to see yet another generation of his family come into existence.

3,000 Quantico Marines, With Planes, Tanks and Gas, to "Fight" Eight Days.

Scenes which took place at Chateau-Thierry, the Argonne Forest and other battlefields of France, where the fighting of United States Marines made time to war work and was nominated as the Republican candidate for governor without opposition in the primaries, a thing never before known in his State. He was defeated for United ley D. Butler, commanding general at

8,000 to Take Part. More than 3,000 marines will take part in the war game, equipped with He is said to have a considerable airplanes, tanks, tractors, modern arortune, a result of his own efforts.

He has one son, Calvin P. Bartlett, sophomore at Yale Colege, alcraft guns and all other paraphernalia grinding sound filled the prison and

ler, the Marine Corps staff officers' the daughter of the late Judge Calvin school at Quantico has prepared plans Page, one of the best known men of for action at a number of places on the same State. Mrs. Bartlett is a the route of march, and on the arrival life long friend of Mrs. John W. ir the hills. A duplication, under mod-Weeks, wife of the Secretary of War, ern conditions, of the battle of Chan-

Practically the entire force at Quan-Born March 15, 1869. Son of John Z. and Saphroma A. Bartlett, /Mr. Bartlett is a descendant of Josiah Bartlett, signer of the Declaration of Independence.

His chief work as Governor consisted in revolutionizing the educational system of his State, granting \$100 bonus to soldiers, reorganizing the management of all state institutions, enacting prohibition and suffrage, and providing \$1,500,000 for a memorial bridge 26, and on the first day will cover a suppose to be following. The line of march will be over country rich in military history, and filled with the work as they fly southward.

WAYNESBORO, Pa., Sept. 10.—The early migration of birds to the South is believed by weatherwise persons here to mean an early fall. Every night since Monday the chirping of birds has been heard as they fly southward.

There are a variety of notes, indicating that the migration is made up of many different kinds of birds.

Persons who have been watching

ing \$1,500,000 for a memorial bridge 26, and on the first day will cover a connecting his State with Maine, he distance of eight miles, to Aquia the migration of birds say that their now being a Commissioner building Creek, celebrated in the campaigns of movement southward this season is

Lee, Hooker and Burnside.

On the following day the march will earlier than usual, indicating that instinct is causing them to seek a warmthe Navy.

Associated with him on the Civil miles will be covered to Fredericksbe resumed and a distance of sixteen Service Commission are Judge George burg, where camp for the night will

Four-Day Camp Planned.

On the next day the march will be resumed to Wilderness Run. a distance of fifteen miles. Four days will be spent in the camp in this vicinity, which will be devoted to battle exercises and problems in which the entire torce will participate, and the march will be made in return to Quantico terday by the conservation commission October 3 and 4.

on October 3 and 4.
Parties of Senators, Congressmen Army and Navy officers and other public officials have been invited to attend the demonstration

MARYLAND TO EXPEND \$3.500,000 FOR ROADS

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Sept. 10 .- The State roads commission has completed its year, so far as awarding contracts for road construction is concerned. There are several contracts to be awarded, but they are of minor im-

Contracts awarded by the commission this year involve the construction of 160 miles of road and the expenditure of \$3,500,000. Concrete construc-tion has cost not far below \$35,000 a candymaker, found him after a search. mile—regarded as a low figure, es-is costing the neighboring State of pecially when compraed with what it the family who says the lad was of an Pennsylvania—but the average has optimistic Lature and became entanbeen brought down by the percentage gled in the rope while swinging from of gravel roads which have been built one section of the mow to the other which are under contract

ACCUSE W. VA. WOMAN OF ELECTION FRAUDS

WHEELING, W. Va., Sept. 10 .-For the first time since woman suf-frage was granted in West Virginia a woman election official has been against Effie Crummitt and four men. who served as clerks at a voting place. State's attorneys charge that the woman conspired with the four men out the cat and taking in the morning to help elect certain candidates,

MOSQUITOES READY FOR FALL CAMPAIGN

Saws, Drills and Crowbars Now Being Sharpened and Dipped in Virulent Poisons.

"The melancholy days are here." The poet may not have had precisely the idea in mind which is agitating many Washingtonians today, but he certainly described their feelings to the letter.

Window screens are celebrated for possessing a stupendous quantity of holes per square yard.

But at this season of the year, after a summer of heat and rain in alternating doses, the holes are not so many as in the screen's halcyon days. And, by the same token, the holes spread over a far greater area Now for the melancholy angle.

Mosquitoes Ready For War. Off in the marshes, in all the rain puddles, ditches, by-ways and dumps, countless legions of embryo mosquitoes are preparing for the Sepember campaign.

Those winged imps who have been transformed from "wrigglers" into full-fledged mosquitoes are busy sharpening their lances and seeking appropriate poisons into which they may dip them before beginning their

Some seek the succulent poison ivy, others the scarlet sumac, still others the nasty poison oak. Some depend exclusively on their own inherent bitterness of character. In any case their saws, drills and crowbars will be dipped in a coating of virulent

Then they will search out the creens with the smallest number of holes and will set to work on the them famous, will be re-enacted in the luckless inhabitants within. Others hills surrounding Quantico, Va., from September 26 to October 4, when extensive military maneuvers will be down hermetically sealed. This may do them but little good, as the fol lowing story, now making the rounds, may show:

> Maybe In New Jersey. One September a number of ironworkers, riveting a huge boiler for use in a Washington plant, were attacked by a swarm of fierce mosquitoes. Beating off the attack as best they might with their hammers, the luckless men were astounded to find that the mosquitoes were drilling through the boiler plate. Grasping their hammers, they clinched the beaks of the pests as they pierced. Presently so many mosquitoes were fastened to the boiler that they lifted it and flew away.

BIRDS, EARLY ON WING, PRESAGE LONG WINTER

WAYNESBORO, Pa., Sept. 10 .- The

er climate and that it means cool weather and an early autumn. **BAPTISTS TO WEAR OLD**

CLOTHES TO AID CHURCH NASHVILLE, Sept. 10 .- Southern Baptists will cut out all luxuries this fall, eliminate many of the common patched clothes if need be to meet their pledges to denominational interests, if they heed an appeal formulated yes-

Members of the commission have challenged the local Baptists throughout the South to meet them in sacrific ing personal comfort rather than fail to meet their obligations to the general

causes of their denomination. BOY, 14, ACCIDENTALLY

HANGS HIMSELF IN BARN LEWISTON, Pa., Sept. 10.—George Bossinger, 14 years old, was acciden-tally hanged last evening while playing with a rope carrier used in conveying hay to different sections of the mow in the little barn at the Bossinger

The boy had been missing two hours Any theory of suicide is scouted by

and was unable to extricate himself.

BURGLAR PROOF BEDS TO PROTECT SPINSTERS

NEW YORK, Sept. *10 .- The man under the bed-that bugaboo of old maids and others for centuries—is to be brought to light at last. indicted, charged with making false returns. The Ohio county grand jury, investigating the recent city election, yesterday returned indictments be fixed to the leg of the bed.

Burglar-proof beds are to be a feature of the electrical show here on September 28. An electric light will be fixed to the leg of the bed. The electrical show company also promises devices for starting the fur-nace, opening the windows, putting

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Roscoe C. Bruce Seeks School Job in West Virginia

ROSCOE C. BROCE is looking for a job. With announcement from the Franklin the other day that Garnet C. Wilkinson had been appointed assistant superintendent in charge of colored schools to succeed him, Bruce is now out

for another school job. He is reported to be down in West Virginia, combing the country thereabouts for an opening and hopes to make a connection with a West Virginia school this September. The Board of Education removed the colored superintendent because he has been a constant source of trouble in the schools here ,as the public is well aware.

JA'L GUARDS ARRESTED AFTER BANDITS ESCAPE

TOLEDO, Ohio, Sept. 10. — Sam immerman and Andrew Szemtko Zimmerman and deputy sheriffs on duty at the Lucas county jail on Labor Day, when Jo-seph Urbaytis, George Rogers, alias Lewis, and Charles Schultz, convicted of conspiracy in the \$1,000,000 post office robbery here last February 17. escaped, were arrested on warrants charging "voluntarily suffering Fed-

eral prisoners to escape."
No trace of any of the three escaped bandits has been found, Federal authorities announced today.

'SHADOW' MABER, OLD-TIME BOXER, IS SUICIDE

DETROIT, Sept. 10 .- The body of a man who committed suicide here a week ago has been identified as that of "Shadow" Maber, prominent thirty years ago as a lightweight boxer and at one time a contender for the lightweight championship.

From 1891 to 1894 Maber was credited with a string of victories on the Pacific coast. He came to the United States from Australia about 1890 with the declared intention of carrying away the title. As far as known here, he has no relatives in this country. He was fifty-five years of age.

LANSBURGH & BROTHER

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